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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

**THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA BY ITS
ATTORNEY GENERAL KAMALA D.
HARRIS, et al.,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC
CORPORATION and MITSUBISHI
ELECTRIC & ELECTRONICS USA, INC.**

Defendants.

Master File No. M-02-1486 PJH

MDL No. 1486

C-12-5229

C 06-4333 PJH

**ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO
CONSIDER WHETHER CASES
SHOULD BE RELATED**

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 3-12(b) and 7-11, Plaintiffs the State of California, et al., submit this
Administrative Motion to Consider Whether Cases Should be Related.

The related actions are (1) *State of California by its Attorney General Kamala D. Harris, et al. v. Mitsubishi Electric Corporation, et al.*, No. C 12 5231 (N.D. Cal., complaint filed October 9, 2012) ("*State of California, et al.*"), and (2) *In re Dynamic Random Access Memory (DRAM) Antitrust Litigation*, Master File No. M-02-1486-PJH, MDL No. 1486 ("*In re DRAM*"), and (3)

1 *The State of California, et al., v. Infineon Technologies AG, et al., (Case No. C 06-4333 PJH)*
2 which are pending before this Court.

3 This Administrative Motion is made on the grounds that the *State of California, et al.* arises
4 from a common set of facts and alleges essentially the same antitrust conspiracy as in In re
5 DRAM. Both actions allege that the defendants agreed, combined and conspired with each other
6 to fix, raise, maintain and/or stabilize the price of DRAM and/or to allocate markets and/or
7 customers in the United States. Relating these cases, pursuant to Civil L.R. 3-12, will advance
8 the convenience of the parties, witnesses and counsel, and avoid the risk of duplicative or
9 inconsistent rulings, orders and judgments, and serve the interests of justice.

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Respectfully submitted,

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